4. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay the full value of the timber he purchased in the auction in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the value. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the officer conducting the sale will be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale will be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulations.

5. If timber purchased is not removed within the time allowed, the same may after ten days' notice to the purchaser be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

6. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than ninety days after the date of sale. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of confirmation of sale.

M. A. VARADACHAR,
District Forest Officers.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Notification dated 4th May 1923.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to purchase and remove teak poles in the coupes of the undermentioned forests of Channagiri and Bhadrapur Ranges will be resold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati, Division, or any other Gazetted Officer deputed by him at the following places on the dates specified against each:—

No.	Name of Range	Name of forest	Name of working circle	No. of coupe	No. of sub-coupe	Area in acres	Quantity of teak poles available	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
							C. ft.			
1	Channagiri .. (Channagiri) ..	Kukwada .. Ubrani .. (Kukwada-Ubrani)	Ubrani .. (Ubrani) ..	44	1	40	500	Ubrani	30th May 1923	More or less
					2	40	500			
				21-22	3	40	600			
					4	40	600			
2	Do ..	Do ..	Gangur .. (Gangur) ..	56	1	40	500	Channagiri	2nd June 1923	
				21-22	2	40	500			
					3	40	500			
					4	40	600			
3	Bhadrapur ..	Bhadrapur ..	Danavad ..	1	12 (21-22)	100	1,000			
					13 (22-23)	100	1,000			

Conditions.

1. The successful bidder will *at once* deposit Rs. 500 for each coupe as security for the due performance of the contract.

2. The successful bidder will, within a week of the receipt of intimation of the *confirmation* of sale, execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below, in default, the order of acceptance will be cancelled and the deposit forfeited to Government.

(*a*) That he binds himself to fell the timber he has purchased in not less than the following proportions:—

One-half by the end of September 1923.
Balance by the end of 15th December 1923.

(*b*) That trees shall be felled regularly from one side. Picking and choosing will not be allowed. In felling trees, care should be taken to fell so as not to cause damage to the surrounding growth.

(*c*) That he binds himself to pay for and remove all marketable portion of a tree either in poles or pieces.

(*N. B.*)—All pieces capable of yielding cart-wheel materials are included under the head "Marketable portion."

(*d*) That the timber prepared out of each tree shall be measured and stamped by the Range Officer or such other officer as the District Forest Officer may authorise; until the timber is so marked, it shall not be removed.

(*e*) That he shall pay for all the timber measured as per clause (*d*) before remo... from the forest or the depot fixed by the District Forest Officer.

(*f*) That all removals shall be effected under passports issued by the Forest Officer in charge of the forest and on presentation of the treasury receipt for the value of the timber he intends to remove.

(*g*) That the timber paid for, but not removed by the 15th July 1924 shall lapse to Government.

(*h*) That he agrees that such timber as may not be paid for before the 15th December 1923 shall lapse to Government.

(*i*) That he agrees to abide by the rules of the Forest Department, as regards kindling of fires and hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees and workmen.

(*j*) That he agrees to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his deposit for breach of any of the terms of the contract.

(*k*) That he agrees to coppice all teak trees other than those marked as standards.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the Notification dated 4th May 1923, regarding the sale of timber in the following depots of the Division on the dates noted against them published in pages 292-293, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 17th May 1923.

Holehonnur Depot	...	...	...	26th May 1923.
Narasimharajapura	...	...	...	28th do 1923.
Ubrani	...	...	...	30th do 1923.
Channagiri	...	...	...	1st June 1923.

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification of sale of timber dated 15th May 1923.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depots by the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, commencing from the 20th May 1923 :—

Name of Depot	Teak	Matti	Nandi	Hunal	Nanja	Hebbalasu	White cedar	Other kinds	Total	Date of sale
Shikarpur ..	100-1000	20—500	20—500	..	..	..	..	50—500	190-2500	28th May 23
Shirolkoppa ..	50—500	20—500	10—300	10—300	02 1914	..	15—300	50—1000	247-4814	29th May 23
Anavatti ..	50—500	..	..	..	..	..	..	30—500	80-1000	30th May 23
Shakunavalli ..	100-1000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100-1000	31st May 23
Nagavalli ..	..	20—500	10—300	..	..	..	..	50—1000	80-1800	4th June 23
Sagar ..	..	20—500	8—200	..	..	25—1000	..	30—1000	83-2700	7th June 23

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.